

STATE OFFICIALS KEPT SECRET MONEY FOUND IN HALL'S BANK HELD FOR FLIGHT

(Continued.)

was written by the minister and deposited in the same bureau "lovers' post office." The full surrender of Mrs. Mills to her infatuation is indicated by a passage which reads in part: "Oh, I love you so much! I love you—I love you—I love you—I love you too much!"

There are indications that the reference to the social, financial and political standing of the congregation of St. John's, which has been manifested in trying to keep out of the case any indication of the rather gross worldliness of the minister, has broken down under the pressure of official disclosures which cannot be denied, such as the plan for an elopement, to-day's divulging of the \$40,000 deposit of securities which could have been turned into money in 10 minutes in any broker's office; the existence of a letter from the Rev. Mr. Hall to Mrs. Mills, and the knowledge that at least one other woman of the congregation made a secret visit to his study desk after the murders to search for compromising letters which she had written him.

Frank Tingle, who lives in the house on Easton Avenue nearest the Phillips Farm, was brought to the Court House to-day to make an affidavit form a statement which was made to Detective David soon after the murder but kept a secret.

Mr. Tingle said he had a distinct memory of the events of Sept. 14, because, while he and Mrs. Tingle, who is superstitious, were sitting on their porch talking of the beauty of the starlit sky a meteor crossed their vision and disappeared on the horizon.

"That means a sudden death," Mr. Tingle quotes his wife as saying. He said he laughed at her and she resented his ridicule. An hour or so later, at about ten minutes of eleven, he said they heard a quick succession of shots, so close together he could not count them, on the Phillips farm two hundred yards away.

"There, now," my wife said to me," Mr. Tingle reports. "I'll bet that the shooting star has brought death to somebody with those shots."

Again Mr. Tingle said he made fun of her fancy and at a little after 11 o'clock they went to bed.

The summoning of witnesses to the Court House and their questioning, it was indicated to-day, is being undertaken in a manner which shows no consideration for the feelings of anybody inside or outside the families involved in the murder.

The relatives of the Rev. Mr. Hall as to his continued absence from home up to the moment the bodies were found, more than 36 hours, are held to be in contrast with the almost frantic protests of Mrs. Hall through her friend Miss Sally Peters, through her counsel former Senator Florence and former Assistant District Attorney Pfeiffer of New York and in person, that she knew her husband was in no way scandalously associated with Mrs.

Mills and his absence was never believed to be due to such an entanglement.

September 16, before the discovery of the bodies became known, Mrs. Hall's brother, William Stevens, the amateur fireman and town character, went to the office of County Clerk George Helm and filed his application to be recorded as a veteran fireman, exempt from jury duty and minor taxes and establishing the claim of his relatives to \$500 from the State in event of his death. He was very solemn and nervous, Mr. Helm said, but he did not repeat the alleged prophecy he made to Capt. Regan of his former fire company the day before: "Something terrible is going to happen."

Mr. Helm, knowing of the customary winter outing of his visitor to St. Petersburg, Fla., asked: "Getting ready to go to St. Petersburg, for the winter, Willie?" he asked.

"No," was the answer, "I won't be able to make it; not this year."

A belated examination by experts of the shoes worn by the slain couple the night of the murder revealed the red mud found on the Phillips farm. This is taken as an indication they were slain where the bodies were found.

Though there is reason to believe there was a go-between who delivered notes between the rector and Mrs. Mills, the authorities have been unable to establish this person's identity.

If the letter carrier were known, it might settle the question whether the murder was committed by some one who wanted to prevent the elopement to the Orient that the rector and singer are believed to have planned and was thrown into a brutal frenzy of jealous rage by the knowledge of the couple's protracted secret intimacy.

Further confirmation of this plan was found in a letter written the day of the murder by Mrs. Mills, one sentence of which reads: "Oh for the time when I can do your mending!" Also there is corroboration in the guidance Mrs. Mills sought in her love affair from an East Indian psychic in Miami, Fla. Last February she wrote and asked him three questions:

"Will the minister get a divorce?"

"Will he go to a foreign country?"

"If he gives up the other woman and goes to another country, shall I go with him?"

Mrs. Mills, Prof. Himbisa is quoted as saying, wrote him in response to

his advertisement in New Jersey newspapers, which were headed: "Let the stars guide you."

The authorities made inquiries to ascertain if a man other than Mrs. Mills or the rector was infatuated with Mrs. Mills and might have been jealous to the extent of vengeance. They questioned Charlotte Mills, fifteen-year-old daughter of the slain chorister, as to her mother's friendships. She told them she knew of no man who was attentive to her mother.

The autopsy on the body of Mr. Hall will be performed this afternoon at the Kings County Morgue. The body was taken this morning from the Stevens vault in Greenwood Cemetery. There was a report that the body was not embalmed, but at the undertaking establishment of Coroner J. V. Hubbard in New Brunswick it was said positively the body was embalmed.

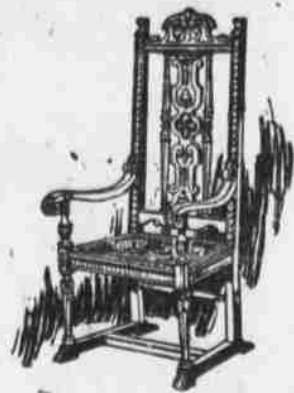
Timothy N. Pfeiffer, former Assistant District Attorney here, who has been engaged as counsel by Mrs. Hall, said she made no objection to the examination of the body of her husband.

"We requested that some one representing Mrs. Hall attend the autopsy," he said. "This privilege was refused."

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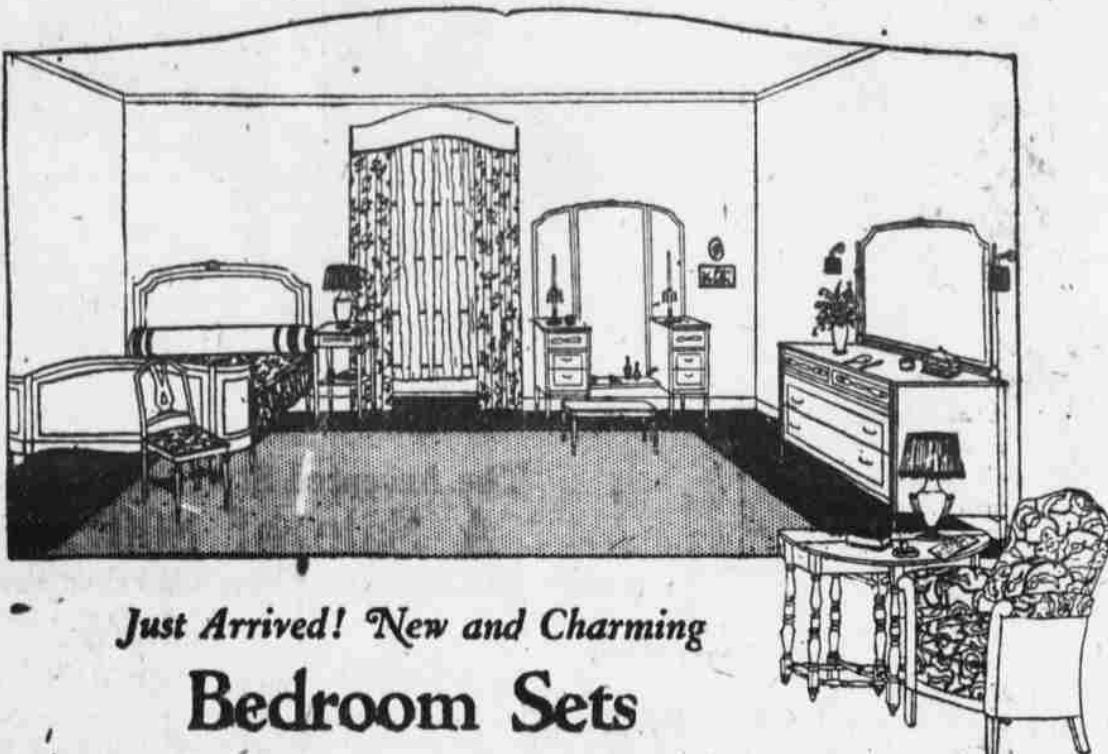
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Gum Camphor, \$1.45 lb. box.	White Tar Bags, overcoat size, \$1.15.
Crystal Flake Compound, 50c lb. can.	Cedar Bags, motor coat size, \$2.
Naphthaline Balls, 25c lb.	Blue Bird Bags, 3 sizes in set, \$1.
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